

# estivation (*es-ti-va-tion*)

## Definition

n. a period of dormancy during hot or dry conditions.

## Example Sentence

Frogs demonstrate **estivation** when they bury themselves in mud in hot dry weather.

## More Example Sentences

**Estivation** helps animals survive hot weather.

## Synonyms

dormancy; hibernation; sleep

## Antonyms

increased activity

Join thousands of students and teachers using Vocab Loco to master spelling and vocabulary through fun games, interactive activities, and engaging lessons. Make learning words an adventure!

[vocabloco.com](https://vocabloco.com)